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Via ECFS Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary Federal Communications Commission 445 12th Street, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: In the Matter of Petition of USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to 47 U.S.C. Section 160(c); WC Docket No. 18-141; Category 1

Dear FCC,

I've been a customer of Sonic in San Francisco for years - both with DSL back in the early 2000's, and for the last couple years using their newer Fiber product. Nobody else in the business offers the services they do (1Gbit!) for the price and reliability they do it at. They've been able to do this because of a competitive market that allowed them to build and thrive.

Without local broadband competition, the evidence and data shows time and time again that the local providers (AT&T, Comcast, Verizon, etc) will stop innovating, raise prices through the roof, and provide awful customer support. Keep them honest and allow local competition to keep them working hard! This is what capitalism is all about!

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